Proceedings of the District Fund Board of the Mysore Circle at a meeting held on the 14th May 1897.

PRESENT.

N. Venkata Rao, Esq., Senior Asst. Commissioner (in the chair.)
C. A. Mahadeva Sastri, Esqr., Exec. Engr., Mysore Division.
Mr. V. Krishna Rao, Amildar of the Yedatore Tk.
„ K. R. Subba Rao, Amildar of the Hunsur Tk.
„ Krishna Singh, Amildar of the Heggaddevankote taluk.
„ T. Krishna Rao, Amildar of the Gundlupet taluk.
Mr. N. D. Krishnappa, Amildar of the Chamrajnagar taluk.
„ T. K. Sundrarajaiengar, Amildar of T. Narsipur taluk.
Narayana Rao, Taluk Sheristadar in charge, Mysore taluk.
Krishnappa, Taluk Sheristadar in charge, Nanjangud taluk.

Non-Official Members.

Mr. Amble Annaiya Pandit, Landholder, Mysore.
„ Sivoji Rao, Landholder, Yedatore.
„ Rangiengar, Landholder, Heggaddevankote.
Mr. Mastan Saib, Merchant, Nanjangud.
„ Sri Rangachar, Jodidar, Sosile.

ABSENT.

Official Members.

C. Madiah, Esq., President.
P. S. Achyuta Rao, Esq., Civil Surgeon.

Non-Official Members.

Mr. Davood Khan, Pensioned Amildar, Mysore.
„ Narasimha Upadhya, Inamdar, Bettadapur.

1. Read Official Memorandum No. 9719—L. F. 275-96 of the 25th February 1897, from the Secretary to the Government in the General and Revenue Departments, forwarding for disposal a petition from Wabi Peeran Sahib and other residents of the Mysore City, praying that suitable encouragement may be given to Hakim Syed Mustapha with a view to secure the benefits of his practice in Mysore, &c.

Resolved that as a large number of respectable residents of the town have signed the petition, thereby testifying to the benefit derived by the Hakim's treatment, a sum of Rs. 15-0-0 per mensem be granted to the Hakim as cost of the medicines to be dispensed by him, tentatively for six months, and that the consideration of remunerating his services afterwards be discussed and disposed of on receipt of a report at the end of that period from the Superintendent, Indigenous Hospital, Mysore, as to the extent of the usefulness of the Hakim's practice as a native doctor.

2. Read Mr. Amble Annaiya Pandit's application requesting that the platforms constructed at Santemarahalli may be made over to him on condition of his paying the cost incurred by Government, covering the platforms and allowing travellers on other than santé days to make use of the platforms as musafirkhanas.

Resolved that at his own request now made the question be deferred till next year.

3. Proposed by Mr. Amble Annaiya Pandit and seconded by Mr. Rangaiengar, that five young men who have passed the Lower Secondary Examination in English be trained for practising native medical treatment in the Indigenous Hospital at Mysore, that scholarships tenable for three years at Rs. 6 for the 1st year, Rs. 7 for 2nd year and Rs. 8 for the 3rd year be paid to the students.

Resolved that the proposal be recommended for the favorable consideration of Government, as the proposed scheme will supply a number of native pandits available for service in places far removed from dispensaries, besides encouraging the study of the time-honored Ayurvedic treatment which once flourished in India.

4. Read P. W. Accounts of expenditure for the nine months ending 31st March 1897.

Recorded, with the remark that the expenditure is fair and satisfactory.

5. Read and recorded the statement of expenditure on works executed by the Revenue Department up to the end of March 1897.

6. Read and recorded Government Order No. 9607-11—L. F. 256-96 of the 22nd February 1897, sanctioning the District Fund budget estimates of the Mysore circle for 1897-98.

7. Read and recorded Government Order No. 11070-1—L. F. 300-96, dated 9th April 1897, sanctioning the sale of the old musafirkhana at T. Narsipur, and the construction of a new one, if necessary.

8. Proposed by the Amildar of the Yedatore taluk and seconded by Mr. Annaiya Pandit that a channel be excavated for the deviation of the town sewage which at present falls into the Mirle tank as it is urgently called for on sanitary grounds, and that the cost of the work, *viz.*, Rs. 1,000-0-0, might be met from the amounts sanctioned for the marginally noted works which could not be carried out this year.

1. Repairing the bathing ghats at Yedatore.
2. Sinking a well at Narayanapur.

Resolved that the deviation of the sewage as proposed be recommended for the favorable consideration of Government as being very important and urgent.

C. MADIAH, *President.*